



# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

(\$)**860**

## Complete if Known

Application Number	<b>09/977,356</b>
Filing Date	<b>October 16, 2001</b>
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Examiner Name	<b>BINDA, GREGORY JOHN</b>
Group/Art Unit	<b>3679</b>
Attorney Docket No.	<b>01-220-RCE</b>

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

#### Large Entity      Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	750	2001	375	Utility filing fee	
1002	330	2002	165	Design filing fee	
1003	520	2003	260	Plant filing fee	
1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1)      (\$)**0**

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Extra Claims	Fee from Below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20**=	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Independent Claims	-3**=	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Multiple Dependent			

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
1202	18	2202      9      Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201      42     Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203      140    Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204      42     **Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205      9      **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2)      (\$)**0**

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051      65     Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052      25     Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053      130    Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812     2,520    For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*	1804     920*    Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805    1,840*   Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251      55     Extension for reply within first month	<b>110</b>
1252	410	2252      205    Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253      460    Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1450	2254      725    Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1970	2255      985    Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401      160    Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402      160    Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403      140    Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451     1,510   Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452      55     Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453      650    Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1300	2501      650    Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502      235    Design issue fee	
1503	630	2503      315    Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460      130    Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807      50     Petitions related to provisional applications	
1806	180	1806      180    Submission of information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021      40     Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	2809      375    Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1801	750	2801      375    Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	

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Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid      SUBTOTAL (3)      (\$)**860**

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